



# Annunciation of Our Lady

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

## Parish News

for the Week of Sunday, May 24, 2020

Seventh Sunday of Easter  
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Date



### New time for Sunday Worship starting May 24!

Annunciation traditionally offers a single Sunday service at **9:00am** during the summer months. This year, the single service will begin via Zoom this Sunday, **May 24**.

### A Word from Pastor Jenni



Dear Friends,

Today is the Feast of the Ascension. In the daily office, we read from Matthew 28: **Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.'** (16-20) Called the Great Commission, this passage is one of the cornerstones of the theological framework on which the church stands. It, along with Matthew 25:34-40, challenges us to do the hard work of telling the Good News of Jesus Christ.

The Gospel is challenging. When we walk into God's word and with God's Word, we are mightily challenged. How do we love people so much that we share with them the resurrected life of Jesus Christ? Sometimes, that can be a treasure that we want to keep just for ourselves - it's such a wonderful gift. But what happens when we hold treasure just for ourselves? Moth and rust consume and suddenly we are left with just the memory of what God promises us instead of the reality of that promise.

To be challenged is one of our core values of Annunciation. However, it isn't just about being challenged in the current social climate but challenged to look at ourselves, our tradition, our faith, our common life. It is an internal lens that will cause us to have an external expression. How do we become more compassionate, wiser, and stronger if we are unwilling to challenge for change?

I offer this as we hear about the astonishing event of the Ascension. There were those who saw and still had doubt, still had the need to hold Jesus so close and not let him be a treasure to the world, who were anxious or unwilling to be challenged by the Gospel. Our common life is going to look much different in the coming months and there are simply somethings that might not go back to the way they were. Are we ready to be challenged to look toward God's Kingdom? Each of us has to evaluate that for themselves. Let me pose this question (out of all the ones I have already posed), are we ready to be challenged to share the treasure of the Gospel to a hurting world and draw people into the transformed reality of Jesus Christ?

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## Virtual Bingo with the Hagan's!

We have been "at home" for too long! We need to have some fun together! **The Hagan's will be hosting a Virtual BINGO Night! Join us via Zoom, Saturday, May 23rd at 6:30PM.** We will play a few rounds of BINGO and plan to finish by 8:00 at the latest.

If you plan to play, email [Bingoannunciation@gmail.com](mailto:Bingoannunciation@gmail.com) and tell us how many people will be joining at your house. We will send you two random/unique BINGO cards per person. You will need to print them out prior to the Zoom call and find some fun Bingo Markers at home. We might use Skittles although I would rather have M&M's but can't due to Will's allergies.



Join us Saturday  
May 23rd from 6:30 to 8:00 PM  
on Zoom  
Meeting ID: 862 1758 6312  
Password: 105969  
email: [Bingoannunciation@gmail.com](mailto:Bingoannunciation@gmail.com)  
to have your Bingo Cards emailed back.  
2 cards per player!

Information to join the Zoom call is below. If you have questions, please feel free to call or text Beth's cell phone - 847-560-0357.

We are so excited!  
The Hagan's

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86217586312?pwd=Y0ZvUmozaGxDc01nbUs3MXViOEREdz09>  
Meeting ID: 862 1758 6312  
Password: 105969  
Dial by your location  
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## Healing Prayers Offered on Sundays

Healing prayers will now be offered by telephone after the

Zoom Sunday morning service. Each week, a different prayer minister will be available from **10:00am to 11:00am**. (Note time change because of new summer hours for Sunday worship.) The name and phone number will be printed in the weekly bulletin.

If the phone is busy when you call, try again in 10 minutes or leave a voicemail message asking to be called back.

The prayer minister for Sunday, **May 24** is Carol Anderson, 847-421-3796.



## Habits of Grace: Monday Meditations from Presiding Bishop Curry

During the COVID-19 pandemic, Presiding Bishop Michael Curry is offering a short video meditation each week. Watch the video for the **week of May 18** (left), and find [a transcript](#) in English and Spanish on the Episcopal Church website.

## Prayers of the People



We pray:

For all who yearn for health, for the handicapped, for those in mental anguish or spiritual turmoil, for the incurably ill, and for all who remember and care for them, especially ***Mary Ellen, Patsy, Erich, Greg, Joe, Helene, Jannette Kellogg, Marsha & Randy, Jim, Shannon, Brandt, the Potts family, John, Susan, Charlotte, Glenn & Donna, the Nelson family, Fr. Brian, Bishop Lee, the Vestry, Governor Pritzker, the victims of typhoon Amphan in India and Bangladesh, and the people served by Sunrise Assisted Living, PADS, and Habitat for Humanity.***

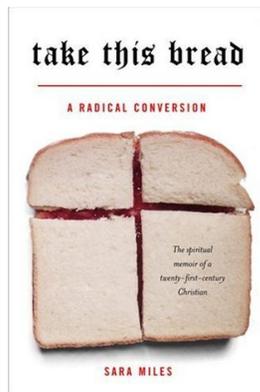
We pray for these vital staff members at our local hospitals: Concierge Services, all those who work in Incident Command, Employee Health, Environmental Services, and Food and Nutrition. We also pray for other essential workers such as retail workers, delivery people, and childcare workers.

For all those who serve in the Armed Forces, including ***Liam*** Mellen, ***Maurice*** Edwards, ***Chad*** VanHorn, ***Christopher*** Pavy, ***Nick*** Unda, ***Ian*** Pocklington, ***Ethan*** Pocklington, ***Christopher*** Froelich, ***Karl*** Mohrmann, and ***Trish*** Hull.

For those who celebrate birthdays and anniversaries this week, especially ***Jane*** Schaefer

(5/29), *Carl & Jennifer* Gruber (5/25), and *Dave & Susan* Schrunck (5/25).

We praise you, God of our hope, for all the faithful before us who entered into your labors and worshiped you in truth, especially *John* Haley (5/24/2004), *Marion*, and *Monty*. That we may live faithful to eternal life, we pray.



## Wednesday Morning Study Group

The Wednesday Study Group has decided to continue meeting each week through the summer. We meet at **10:00am** via Zoom until further notice.

We are now reading *Take This Bread* by Sara Miles. From the back of the book, "Early one morning, for no earthly reason, Sara Miles, raised and atheist, wandered into a church, received communion, and found herself transformed - embracing a faith she'd once scorned."

The schedule is on the website, but for **May 27**, we will be reading Chapters 6 through 8, "First Communion" through "Histories" spanning pages 54 through 90, respectively.

Now is a great time to join us if you were ever thinking about it. If you do decide to join us, please contact Deb Gallinger or Miriam Berry for information.

### Wednesday Morning Study Group

May 27, 2020 10:00 AM

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86095538628?pwd=azk1bkMyTnFGRmJnRDRuRFJGbzNuQT09>

Meeting ID: 860 9553 8628

Password: 246698

Dial by your location

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## Annunciation Pledges

Even in the midst of this event, the church still needs our good stewardship, so we ask that you keep up with your pledges. **We understand that people's financial lives might be changing; please speak to Pastor Jenni if you need to update your pledge or if there is a need for assistance.** These are the ways you can donate now:

- Mail your check
- Have your bank send us a check



**Thank you** to everyone who has been faithful in sending their pledges.



## Donations for PADS

Though we can no longer take donations of food, Annunciation will accept **monetary donations** for PADS. It's best to mail checks to the church; use either the memo line on your check or a note on the envelope to designate a PADS donation. Thank you!

# Links to Zoom Worship for this Week

## Friday Morning Prayer

May 22, 2020 08:30 AM

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87058917350?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87058917350?pwd=ZTdPVFphRThFbmFOcTYvM1Fqdll3dz09)

[pwd=ZTdPVFphRThFbmFOcTYvM1Fqdll3dz09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87058917350?pwd=ZTdPVFphRThFbmFOcTYvM1Fqdll3dz09)

Meeting ID: 870 5891 7350

Password: 441914

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## Friday Evening Prayer

May 22, 2020 05:00 PM

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83871801344?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83871801344?pwd=SXBaVWV1bi9XQW1WRIIRM1ZVbm93dz09)

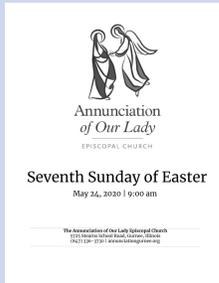
[pwd=SXBaVWV1bi9XQW1WRIIRM1ZVbm93dz09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83871801344?pwd=SXBaVWV1bi9XQW1WRIIRM1ZVbm93dz09)

Meeting ID: 838 7180 1344

Password: 534452

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## Sunday Worship – 7 Easter

May 24, 2020 9:00 AM

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84076732810?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84076732810?pwd=Sn0YVhvaGcrQW0wQVF0WFZuVGRvZz09)

[pwd=Sn0YVhvaGcrQW0wQVF0WFZuVGRvZz09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84076732810?pwd=Sn0YVhvaGcrQW0wQVF0WFZuVGRvZz09)

Meeting ID: 840 7673 2810

Password: 045205

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Healing prayers will be offered by telephone after the Zoom Sunday morning service. See announcement above (just under Virtual Bingo) for the details.

## Monday Morning Prayer

May 25, 2020 09:00 AM

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87154641114?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87154641114?pwd=SIJDTWtjQjRJR2FyZEFidXM1MEsvUT09)

[pwd=SIJDTWtjQjRJR2FyZEFidXM1MEsvUT09](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87154641114?pwd=SIJDTWtjQjRJR2FyZEFidXM1MEsvUT09)

Meeting ID: 871 5464 1114

Password: 441914

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## Monday Evening Prayer

May 25, 2020 05:00 PM

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84738825392?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84738825392?pwd=Z0JQMy9OM0dVZmFxcjc1T0hvYVpidz09)

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Meeting ID: 847 3882 5392

Password: 534452

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## Tuesday Morning Prayer

May 26, 2020 09:00 AM

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84456864972?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84456864972?pwd=NDIzTFpyek9Oa1EvTVNMRFYOHICdz09)

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Meeting ID: 844 5686 4972

Password: 441914

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## Tuesday Compline

May 26, 2020 07:30 PM

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87222397619?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87222397619?pwd=WXB5S1pSNHdwRFc5OWt2NG9meE10dz09)

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Meeting ID: 872 2239 7619

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## Wednesday Morning Prayer

May 27, 2020 09:00 AM

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82091679040?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82091679040?pwd=YXBuKy8rbmoxa0pXWkptdVBKk28zZz09)

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## Wednesday Evening Prayer

May 27, 2020 05:00 PM

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82288780368?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82288780368?pwd=Q2RRazZFUVNQQ1JhcS9xVTdJQkFsdz09)

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Meeting ID: 822 8878 0368  
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### Thursday Morning Prayer

May 28, 2020 09:00 AM  
[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83539078874?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83539078874?pwd=bUJlWitFcG1VNTN6MFlmMEE4Qm13Zz09)  
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Meeting ID: 835 3907 8874  
Password: 441914  
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### Thursday Compline

May 28, 2020 07:30 PM  
[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84685238813?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84685238813?pwd=ZlRaNlpPTkZBUmpHd0Rvc3FlbkZHQT09)  
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Meeting ID: 846 8523 8813  
Password: 186934  
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### Friday Morning Prayer

May 29, 2020 09:00 AM  
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Meeting ID: 881 6695 7154  
Password: 441914  
Dial by your location  
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### Friday Evening Prayer

May 29, 2020 05:00 PM  
[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82024444332?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82024444332?pwd=alJ3c296U3pmVXNYZ0FQeFZUWXloUT09)  
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Meeting ID: 820 2444 4332  
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## Coronavirus update: How Annunciation is affected

The church building is **closed** to groups, meetings, and in-person worship till further notice. The church office is **open by appointment only**. If you'd like to come in, please contact Pastor Jenni. You can email her at [rector@annunciationurnee.org](mailto:rector@annunciationurnee.org)

If you have prayer requests, please email them to [parishadmin@annunciationurnee.org](mailto:parishadmin@annunciationurnee.org).

## Staying Connected

Parish News and Prayer Requests  
Submissions due Tuesdays at noon.  
Send to [parishadmin@annunciationurnee.org](mailto:parishadmin@annunciationurnee.org)

Website Updates  
Send to [MarkRJohnson52@gmail.com](mailto:MarkRJohnson52@gmail.com)

Food Tidings Meal Ministry  
Surgery? New birth? If you need a little help with supper, contact Samantha Robison:  
[Robison\\_Samantha@yahoo.com](mailto:Robison_Samantha@yahoo.com)

During the week:  
Pastoral emergencies: (530) 386-2834  
The church office is open during the week by appointment only.